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1. FOLLOWING ARE ANSWERS, KEYED BY LETTER, TO QUESTIONS IN PARA TWO REFTEL:

A. GOVERNMENT OF ICELAND REQUIRES IMPORT LICENSE FOR FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION.

B. LICENSE IS ISSUED BY MINISTRY OF JUSTICE.

C. IMPORT LICENSE CAN BE APPLIED FOR BY INDIVIDUAL PURCHASER, RETAILER OR WHOLESALER. CRITERIA FOR OBTAINING LICENSE BY COMMERCIAL CONSIGNEE ARE CHIEFLY PROOF OF LEGITIMATE INTENTION AND MEANS OF SELLING ARTICLES, PLUS EVIDENCE OF SECURE STORAGE FACILITIES.

2. REGARDING CONTROLS AFTER IMPORT (PARA THREE REFTEL), DEALERS ARE REQUIRED TO RECORD AND REPORT SALES AND CAN ONLY SELL TO INDIVIDUALS IN POSSESSION OF APPROVING DOCUMENT SIGNED BY CHIEF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER IN JURISDICTION CONCERNED.
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